

20 YEAR RETIREMENT



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Dick:

My judgment on the really important ones to bear down on are:

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Next would be:

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lots of luck!

Pat

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III. REVELATIONS OF SENSITIVE OPERATIONS, PERSONNEL
AND ORGANIZATIONS WHICH COULD ADVERSELY AFFECT
CLANDESTINE ACTIVITIES

1. Page 106-108 - Identification of Chinese prisoners John Downey and Richard Fecteau as CIA employees; While we have acknowledged both men as CIA employees to their families, who in turn have so advised such groups as their lawyers and insurance companies, their CIA affiliation has never been acknowledged to the press or radio. The authors are correct in their statement on this latter point. Since these men are still held prisoner in Communist China, however, it is felt that references to them in this manner could adversely affect their status, treatment and chances of release.

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